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C O N F I D E N T I A L BELGRADE 1927

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EO 11652: GDS  
TAGS: ENRG TECH YO  
SUBJ: KRSKO

REF: (A) STATE 70150, (B) BELGRADE 1761, (C) BELGRADE 1894,  
(D) STATE 67973

1. IN MEETING, MAR 30, WITH FSFA ASSISTANT SECRETARY  
BERNARDIC, CHARGE MADE PRESENTATION BASED ON REF A. STRESSED  
WAS THE NEED TO RETURN TO ORIGINAL DRAFT PARA C (REFS B,C)  
WHERE AGREEMENT WAS NEAR.

2. AFTER REPEATING AT LENGTH YUGOSLAV OBJECTIONS TO THE  
ORIGINAL U.S. REQUIREMENT FOR CONSULTATIONS, BERNARDIC ADMITTED  
THAT THE NEW PARA C REFLECTED A CHANGE IN THE GOY POSITION.  
GOY FELT IT COULD NOT FORECLOSE FUTURE OPTION OF REPROCESSING  
OR RETRANSFER OF SPENT FUEL--ESPECIALLY UNDER PRESSURE OF A  
SUPERPOWER. QUOTE TO GIVE UP THIS RIGHT IS TO PUT US IN YOUR  
HANDCUFFS . UNQUOTE. BERNARDIC STRESSED GOY RELUCTANCE TO  
GO BEYOND INTERNATIONAL COMMITMENTS. CHARGE POINTED OUT  
THAT U.S. HAD GIVEN UP REQUEST FOR BILATERAL AGREEMENT AND THEN  
CONSULTATIONS, AND THAT GOY NEED NOT FEAR SUBSEQUENT U.S.  
PRESSURE FOR NEW CONCESSIONS SINCE UPON SATISFACTORY CONCLUSION

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EQUIPMENT LICENSE WOULD BE ISSUED IMMEDIATELY  
AND FUEL LICENSE ISSUED EXPEDITIOUSLY.

3. CHARGE DESCRIBED REF D BRIEFLY AND, AT BERNARDIC'S  
REQUEST, WILL RETURN MAR 31 AT NOON FOR FULL PRESENTATION  
AND RESUMPTION OF KRSKO DISCUSSION.

4. BERNARDIC'S STRESS ON INTERNATIONAL COMMITMENTS AND THE GOY RELUCTANCE TO GIVE OPEN-ENDED COMMITMENT LEADS EMBASSY TO SUGGEST THE FOLLOWING COMPROMISE LANGUAGE FOR PARA C:

(C) IT ENSUES FROM THE TREATY ON THE NON-PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS AND OTHER AGREEMENTS CONCLUDED WITH RESPECT TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE NUCLEAR POWER PLANT KRSKO THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF THE SFR OF YUGOSLAVIA WILL NOT PERMIT ANY TRANSFER TO OTHER COUNTRIES OF ANY NUCLEAR MATERIAL OR EQUIPMENT WHICH THE UNITED STATES SUPPLIES FOR THE REACTOR OF THE NUCLEAR POWER PLANT KRSKO, NOR WILL IT PERMIT ANY TRANSFER, PROCESSING OR ANY OTHER DISPOSITION OF ANY OTHER NUCLEAR FUEL OBTAINED THROUGH RADIATION IN THE REACTOR OF THE NUCLEAR POWER PLANT KRSKO EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE STIPULATED IN FUTURE INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENTS EACHED WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE IAEA ON THE SUBJECT OF THE DISPOSITION OF NUCLEAR FUEL AND EQUIPMENT.

5. THE EXACT LANGUAGE OF THE FINAL CLAUSE BEGINNING "EXCEPT" COULD BE ADJUSTED. THE IDEA HAS NOT BEEN BROACHED TO THE YUGOSLAVS. APPRECIATE COMMENTS IN TIME FOR THURSDAY'S MEETING.  
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